

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EA-10 ISO-00 SOE-02 AID-05 CEA-01  
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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4523

INFO AMEMBASSY PARIS

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E.O.11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG, JA

SUBJECT: PROPOSED TOKYO BRIEFING OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS FOR  
IEA ALLOCATIONS TEST

REF: STATE 15470

1. BEFORE BRIEFING HYODO ON CONTENTS REFTEL (TO WIT: U.S.  
WILL NOT COME TO TOKYO BRIEFING ON MARCH 7, BUT WILL HAVE  
OWN EXCLUSIVE BRIEFING IN WASHINGTON WEEK OF MARCH 12),  
EMBASSY STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT U.S. SEND AT LEAST ONE  
OR TWO OFFICERS FROM WASHINGTON TO TOKYO BRIEFING.

2. ONE REASON IS THAT CANADIANS ARE LIKELY TO FEEL THAT,  
IF THERE IS TO BE A BRIEFING IN WASHINGTON, THEY OUGHT  
TO ATTEND THAT MEETING RATHER THAN TRAVEL ALL THE WAY TO  
TOKYO. THIS WOULD LEAVE ONLY NEW ZEALAND TO COME TO TOKYO.

3. SECONDLY, ARGUMENTS ABOUT "DISTANCE, TRAVEL TIME AND  
BUDGETARY CONSTRAINTS" CAN BE UNDERSTOOD BY THE JAPANESE  
AS REASON TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF U.S. PARTICIPANTS, BUT  
DO NOT JUSTIFY OUR TOTAL ABASNCE. HYODO WILL NO DOUBT  
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EXPRESS UNDERSTANDING OF THE U.S. POSITION ON  
TRAVELLING ALL THE WAY TO TOKYO, BUT GIVEN THE  
EASE WITH WHICH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, AND USG TRADE  
AND AID OFFICIALS COME HERE, PARTICULARLY IN  
RECENT DAYS, HE AND HIS COLLEAGUES ARE NOT LIKELY  
TO BE HAPPY.

4. THIRDLY, SUCH REPRESENTATION WOULD EMPHASIZE  
OUR SUPPORT FOR THE IEA AS A MULTILATERAL FORUM.

5. REQUEST REPLY IF POSSIBLE BEFORE WE SEE  
HYODO TO DISCUSS U.S. DECISION EARLY NEXT WEEK.  
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